

## Northern States Power d/b/a Xcel Energy

## Total Lobbying Effort

## Total Lobbying Expenditures

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
\$114,143.87	\$85,769.15	\$102,477.02	\$82,748.89	\$385,138.94

## Total Hours Communicating

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
82.33	88.80	54.50	32.00	257.63

## Total Hours Other

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
909.40	618.55	394.95	220.65	2143.55

## Hours Lobbied on Each Matter

## Lobbying Effort On Legislative Bills And Resolutions

## Assembly Bill 1

Relating to: regulation of ferrous metallic mining and related activities, procedures for obtaining approvals from the Department of Natural Resources for the construction of utility facilities, making an appropriation, and providing penalties. (FE)

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
10.00 (1%)				10.00 (< 1%)

## Assembly Bill 39

Relating to: powers and duties of an electric transmission company and certificates of public convenience and necessity and permits for certain electric generating facilities and high-voltage transmission lines.

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
40.00 (4%)				40.00 (2%)

## Senate Bill 35

Relating to: powers and duties of an electric transmission company and certificates of public convenience and necessity and permits for certain electric generating facilities and high-voltage transmission lines.

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
89.00 (9%)				89.00 (4%)

## Senate Bill 449

Relating to: authorizing the transfer of certain tax credits earned in connection with economic development in this state.

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
		22.00 (5%)		22.00 (< 1%)

## Assembly Bill 774

Relating to: procedures for utility projects that require a permit from the Department of Natural Resources. (FE)

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
		148.00 (33%)		148.00 (6%)

## Lobbying Effort On Budget Bill Subjects

### Natural Resources: Departmentwide

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
30.00 (3%)				30.00 (1%)

## Lobbying Effort On Administrative Rulemaking Proceedings

### Department of Natural Resources (NR)

#### NR 446, Control of Mercury Emissions, (CAMR).

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
20.00 (2%)				20.00 (< 1%)

### Public Service Commission (PSC)

#### Amend relevant sections of chs. PSC 112, 133, and 184 to conform with 2011 Wisconsin Act 155, and amend relevant sections of ch. PSC 118 to conform with 2013 Wisconsin Act 300.

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
			3.00 (1%)	3.00 (< 1%)

## Lobbying Effort On Topics Not Yet Assigned A Bill Or Rule Number

### Development drafting or introduction of a proposal to transmission system reliability and changes to the transmission approval process.

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
495.87 (50%)	381.97 (54%)	40.45 (9%)		918.29 (38%)

### Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal relating to stray voltage, neutral to earth or ground currents, objectionable currents or other electrical phenomena

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
19.83 (2%)				19.83 (< 1%)

### Air emissions, including mercury, air toxics, ozone, particulate matter or greenhouse gases

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
39.67 (4%)	42.44 (6%)	26.97 (6%)	27.79 (11%)	136.87 (6%)

### Development, drafting or introduction of any proposals relating to economic development rates and rate recovery.

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
19.83 (2%)				19.83 (< 1%)

**Exempting from public utility regulation certain persons who generate electricity or heat and requiring statewide energy efficiency and renewable resource programs to include certain financial incentives.**

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
19.83 (2%)		22.47 (5%)	15.16 (6%)	57.46 (2%)

**Development, drafting or introduction of any proposals relating to legal standards, liability or other matters relating to civil litigation.**

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
	28.29 (4%)			28.29 (1%)

**Proposal relating to the generation, transmission or distribution of electricity, or other policies affecting Xcel Energy products or services.**

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
			20.21 (8%)	20.21 (< 1%)

**Development, drafting or introduction of a proposal addressing the establishment for cleanup standards of contaminated sediments.**

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
			20.21 (8%)	20.21 (< 1%)

**Relating to various changes to proceedings at the Public Service Commission and other regulatory reform initiatives**

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
			2.53 (1%)	2.53 (< 1%)

### Minor Efforts

(Time spent on matters each of which accounted for less than 10% of the organization's lobbying)

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
10 (1%)	7 (1%)	40 (9%)	5 (2%)	62.49 (2.60%)

### Other Matters

Includes time spent on:

- Gubernatorial nominations
- Matters on which the organization made no lobbying communication

2013 January - June	2013 July - December	2014 January - June	2014 July - December	Total
198.35 (20%)	247.57 (35%)	148.32 hours (33%)	159.17 (63%)	753.41 (31.38%)